

THE BOURBON NEWS.

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PARIS, BOURBON COUNTY, KENTUCKY: FRIDAY, MAY, 19, 1882.

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The new passenger engines on the K. C. are daisies.

CONDUCTOR MARTIN will make an extra trip to Maysville to-day.

The Midway Orphan School will turn out nine graduates this year.

JOHN LITTON, of Cane Ridge, has an able-bodied duck with four legs.

The corn crops never come up prettier than the present one in this county.

The General Baptist Association of Kentucky meets in Hopkinsville May 24.

The Music Festival at Cincinnati is being thinly represented by Bourbonites.

ALEX. ODER's case is set for a hearing before the Court of Appeals on the 24th inst.

JUDGERS from the grand rush of the depot sight-seeing fraternity, Paris has a population of 25,000.

MR. BARNES continues to call the devil a liar, at Versailles. Somebody keeps holding the devil off.

TWELVE four-ply linen collars for \$1.20, and six pairs of four-ply linen cuffs for \$1 at J. L. Taylor & Co's.

ONE of the grinding stones at the Limestone Flour Mills, at Maysville, broke on Saturday, causing a loss of about \$300.

Why is it that so many papers advertise Otis W. Snyder free? These editors ought to be watched and chained too.

THE Chesapeake & Ohio road is now doing a big business over the K. C., as well as the Louisville Short Line road.

The first number of the Pendleton Democrat, under the management of Mr. Adie O. Robertson will be issued on May 26th.

The court-house at Franklin, Ky., valued at \$18,000 was fired by an incendiary, and burned down Wednesday night.

SPRING CHICKENS chirp weakly and cling on to a mournful loneliness, in consequence of a separation from their dear mothers.

The Midway Cooking Club will play a match game with the Stamping Ground Club of Scott county. "Craddock, ed. T. K'yan," will be the referee.

WM. UNDERWOOD, of Nicholasville, fell from a fence and a sharp stick penetrated his body to the length of at least six inches and broke off. He will die.

A SPROUT from a peach tree stump on the top of the cliff in front of the depot door, contains seven peaches, which is more, probably than there is in the balance of the county.

THE Opera House which Capt. Thomas designed erecting, has fallen down and crushed the plans into a tobacco warehouse. Now let some one else speak out.

MISS Kitty Talbott, aged thirty-five years, who resides with her brother-in-law, Henry Bailey, a few miles from Cynthiana, dropped dead at the breakfast table Wednesday morning.

DR. GOLDSTEIN, the celebrated optician from Louisville, is in our city. Persons needing the best glasses for failing and defected eyes, will do well to call on him at Mrs. Lou Ireland's boarding house.

IT is now reported that McChesney, of the Citizen, will take the lecture field, since he has developed into a religious poet. If he should, wont there be a grand rush for fishing tackle and a hustling to the country?

WE are in receipt of a nice piece of sheet music entitled "From Jerusalem to Jericho," dedicated to Mrs. Gov. Blackburn, and written for and sung by the Louisville House of Refuge Choir. It is sold for 35 cents by D. P. Faulds, Publisher, Louisville, Ky.

AN Illinois farmer found a girl baby in a flour sack at his door recently. The scoundrel who left it there should have left a full sack of flour, a cage of canaries, a half dozen geraniums and a few other necessities of life. How little he knew the real wants of a girl baby?

OWING to an unavoidable accident, we spoiled about 100 papers Tuesday, and our edition ran short. Our forms were distributed before the fact was discovered, or we would have supplied our subscribers who didn't get papers, with half sheets. It shall not occur again.

At the election of Bishops at the conference of the Southern Methodists, at Nashville, the following Bishops were elected: Rev. Linus Parker, of Louisiana; Rev. A. G. Haywood, of Georgia; Rev. J. C. Granberry, of Virginia; and Rev. A. Wilson, of Baltimore. The Rev. C. W. Miller, of Kentucky, was a candidate, and received but thirteen votes when 121 were necessary to elect.

"Stop the Bourbon Sun."

"Stop the Bourbon Sun," was written on the margin of a sample copy of the News sent out the other day. The paper was returned through the post office with a half spool of thread tied around it, and the above positive order written in a very effeminate, cat-squeamish kind of voice, like the lady had slept with the door of her chicken coop open. The same mail brought us six subscribers from samples of the same issue sent out. Thus it will be seen that it is hard to beat a live paper out of a cheap living here on earth.

First Kentucky Brigade.

At a meeting held in Cynthiana, May 6th, of the veterans of the First Kentucky Brigade of Infantry, (C. S. A.), a call was made for the brigade to assemble in social reunion at the Blue Licks, on July 20th. The call published in the Cynthiana News is headed with the names of Lt. Col. H. McDowell, of the 2d regiment, Captains Joe and Ben Desha and Oscar Kennard, of the 9th, and a long list of captains, lieutenants, non-commissioned officers and privates. The 41st Alabama, which was long connected with the brigade, is also cordially invited. All Kentucky papers are requested to copy.

Since Brother McChesney, of the Paris Citizen, failed to be confirmed as a Railroad Commissioner, he has become desperate and has gone to writing religious poetry. Just as apt as any other way he will take the lecture field.—[Blue Grass Clipper.

The Mt. Sterling Sentinel says that Rev. E. O. Guerrant and Rev. W. P. Taulbee, will deliver addresses before the Clay Literary Society entertainment of Prof. J. Roland Day's school, at Camp-ton, on the 26th inst.

Nellie Burke Notes.

Nellie wears gum straps to hold her trousers down.

Nellie teaches riding school at Omaha, when she is not on the turf.

Nellie could get married again if she wanted to, but she told Craddock that she didn't want to.

Maysville was too full for hutterance during the races, and the hotel men had to stow some of their guests away in their back yards.

A woman at Shrewsbury, England, prosecuted her only child, a girl aged fourteen, for stealing 52 shillings, and the Judge sentenced the girl to twenty-one days' hard labor.

"Miss" Nellie Burke is "Mrs." Nellie Burke. She has a husband but he's not a friend to her—he's dead or missing. She has a gum sling practitioner eleven years old, who lives at Omaha, the home of his mother.

Nellie has run and won nineteen races altogether, and has never run but one race with Miss Devere. She owns three thorough-bred dust-kickers, and changes horses like a streak of greased lightning, on a ten-mile race.

When Bob Lighter, the jockey, and Nellie were coming down the home stretch Tuesday, in a little social fly, that old giraffe nigger killer of George Wells' let down in both front ankles and sent Nellie spinning through the air, and four hundred men ran with all their might, thinking they would have the painful pleasure of seeing Nellie's two ankles broken instead of the horses'.

That was a sad disappointment to the ladies, that Miss Devere took sick and did not arrive to make the great race at Maysville. She was smitten with malarial fever several days ago, and grew rapidly too weak to proceed further than Louisville on her journey to fulfill her engagement. The Association lost at least \$1,000 by her non-arrival, and Miss Burke feels sure that she lost the same amount.

By accident, Nellie's wardrobe did not arrive on Tuesday, but as luck would have it, she found a practicing suit in her valise. It was a close-fitting wrapper of dark green flannel, which came well down to the ankle. She wore ankle-but-ton accident-attachment trousers of the same goods, cut a la zouave. She wore a jockey cape of the same goods, and 'done' her hair up closely on the back of her neck. She wore no spur ornaments.

Nellie is about thirty years old, weighs 110 pounds at a business weight, and 130 at laying off time. She has blue eyes, a thin, sharp-edged and sharp-pointed nose, dark-light hair (natural color), thin lips and a wide-mouth with sharp canine side-front teeth. She has high cheek bones, and the cheeks are pretty well bronzed by the sun and open air, to say nothing about the circumstances of her daily life routine which has had a small tendency towards hardening them. She is a fluent and agreeable conversationalist, and is refined considering the masculine position in life she has assumed.

SOCIETY SCINTILLATIONS.

The first steamboat plied the Hudson in 1807.

The entire Hebrew Bible was printed in 1388.

Gold was first discovered in California in 1848.

The first watches were made in Nuremberg in 1477.

Omnibuses were introduced in New York in 1830.

"White not," is one of Mr. Barnes' favorite songs.

The first newspaper advertisement appeared in 1652.

The first copper cent was coined in New Haven in 1687.

The first telescope was probably used in England in 1608.

The first use of a locomotive in this country was in 1829.

The first complete sewing machine was patented by Elias Howe, Jr., in 1846.

The first steam engine on this continent was brought from England in 1753.

John H. Waller, of Cincinnati, made his regular trip up here Saturday afternoon.

The first attempt to manufacture pins in this country was made soon after the war of 1812.

Blind Tom never has a cold too bad to prevent him from playing, like many silly girls do.

Glass was early discovered. Glass beads were found on mummies over 3,000 years old.

It takes \$1,000 out East to start a brass band, but in this State an ordinary shot gun will do the work.

Samuel F. Greer, a Methodist preacher of Somerset, charged with bigamy, has left for parts unknown.

The following "notis" is posted up in an East Texas saw-mill: "Doant Munkly with the buzz saw when in moshun."

James Gordon Bennett has placed a \$1,000 bedstead in his sailing yacht. If this doesn't take the cake it yacht to.

The North Middletown College will have turn out seven graduates, and the Millersburg Female College seventeen, in June.

Sabbath-breaking, profanity, dishonesty, skepticism and crime walk rampant thro' the land as the inevitable out-growth of intemperance.

Eld. Reynolds has resigned his pastoral charge of the Christian Church of Carlisle, on account of his home being fourteen miles away.

The Deering Camp Meeting at Parks' Hill, Nicholas county will commence on August 13th, and will continue thirteen days, including two Sundays.

The struggle between a proud heart and an empty purse is always severe, therefore our Bourbon boys should keep aloof from "pointers" at the races.

If Geo. O. Barnes and Gen. Buford are not silenced, the bottom will soon be knocked out of all the theological seminaries in the land.—[Lexington Observer.

Dr. Dills, of Carlisle, dreamed that he was hung dead, a few nights ago, and that death was but a small thing in way of terrors. Do dreams ever come true?

Rev. A. B. Dunaway, of Bowling Green, Va., will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and night. It is especially desired that the members be present. The public is most cordially invited to attend.

Miss Hattie McAtee, of near Lewisburg, Mason county, a very interesting conversationalist, was one of the handsomest ladies in attendance of the Maysville races Tuesday. By accident of a crowded car, she was numbered among the esteemed acquaintances of the News.

Bob Bruce, formerly a student at Millersburg, now very handsomely gracing a position behind the office counter of the nice little steamer Handy, made his daily run between Maysville and Vanceburg, and also made hourly trips between the city and the trotting track, and was greeted by scores of his old friends from up the country.

What becomes of all the smart children in life? Is this opinion the fault of judgement in parents who have passed through life, unimproved themselves, and see the youth upon his advent into this world adopt the fast ways of his age, so far in advance of theirs, that when they say "Johnnie, my darling, be still!"—"I won't, you old fool," he replies. Is this what they base their judgement of his worth upon?

Woman is the worst worked and roughest handled piece of machinery in the human family. Her life consists in general drudgery at one-eighth price, and a dollar earned looks the size of the moon to her. A woman got swindled in some brown cotton at six cents a yard during the revolutionary war, since which time she has suspected all mankind. It is easier to trade with 100 men than one woman.



The Trader, Turfman, Farmer and Sportsman.

Corn is selling at \$5 per barrel in Clark county.

The first chimneys were introduced into Rome from Padua in 1388.

Growing crops of wheat are selling in Woodford county, at \$10 per acre.

The sale of Woodburn yearlings was a grand success, aggregating \$38,405.

The barley prospects in Woodford and Mason counties is very promising.

Iroquois, the great racer in England, has burst a blood vessel, and retired from the turf.

Bourbon county boys made good many mourners at the races the past two weeks.—[Lexington Observer.

Waller Sharp, of Sharpsburg, has one of the largest tobacco warehouses in the State, and has 400,000 pounds in it at present.

Miss Burke and a gentleman jockey will ride a ten-mile race to-day at Maysville, for \$1,000.

Three thousand bushels of barley were sold at Lexington, recently, at 85 and 90 cents per bushel.

Millersburg and Carlisle were well represented at the Grand Stand of the Maysville Trotting Association Tuesday. The boys looked sad after the race.

At the Maysville trots Wednesday, Red Cross won the first race, in 2:26, 2:22½, and 2:25. The 2nd race was won by Unolona, in 2:30½, 2:26½ and 2:30½.

Major Thomas has sold Riele, half-brother to Punster, by Lelaps, out of Puzzle, to W. C. Graham, of Philadelphia. He has been offered \$5,000 for Violator. Joseph K. Emmet, the actor, recently purchased a huge St. Bernard dog named Bayard, for which he paid to Mr. Pope, of Boston, the fancy price of \$2,500.

Wednesday at the Louisville races, Checkmate beat Hindoo in 1¼ mile dash, in 1:50½, the fastest time on record. Punster, Force and Babbler were the other winners.

John M. Smoot, of Bethel, Bath county, dumped in fifty hogheads of tobacco at Cincinnati last week, at the highest figures in that market this season. This speaks well for Bath county.

A RULE of the trotting association is that the Maysville papers shall not be allowed to circulate on the grounds. This rule was evidently incubated under a seven and a half hat.—[Bulletin.

The hemp market is so unsettled and unreliable that many of the producers contemplate abandoning its production and turning their attention to some more reliable and profitable crop.—[Transcript.

The Maysville trotting races are all good. Most of the horses are strangers to the State, and are selected from the best stables East, West, and South. The Association's first effort is a grand success, and will be one of the attractive features of the Union.

In the Louisville Ladies' Stake, Wednesday, the starters were Visavis, Orange Blossom, Veva, Madrigal, Pearlash, Japonica, Myriad, Grinstead's filly, Belle of Mt. Zoah, Ella and Clippetta. The race was won by Clippetta, with Ella second and Orange Blossom third. Time, 1:03½. French pools paid \$1.60.

At the Louisville races Tuesday, the great derby races, for \$5,000, was won by Morris & Paton's Apollo by Lever, Dwyer Brothers Runnymede by Imp. Biller, Bowen & Co. Bengal by Biller. Runnymede was favorite of field. The ¼ mile dash was won by Gus Mathews in 1:16½. The first race was 1½.

At the Maysville trotting races Tuesday, the 2:40 class was won by Florence M. by Blue Bull and the 2:20 by Annie W. Almont, Jr., each in three straight heats. The first hails from Rushville, Ind., the second from Columbia, Tenn. Time in first race 2:25½, 2:27, 2:28. Second race 2:25½, 2:25½. The favorite was beaten in the first race.

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